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For: **Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor 2**
Inventor: Timothy A. COLEMAN
Our Ref: 1488.100000N/PAJ/PAC.

Sir:

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